

NEW YORK STATE GAMING COMMISSION  
AMENDMENT OF SECTIONS 5009.2 AND 5010.2 OF  
NEW YORK CODES, RULES AND REGULATIONS  
TITLE 9, SUBTITLE T, CHAPTER III, SUBCHAPTER A

Pursuant to the authority granted by Tax Law Sections 1601, 1604 and 1612(a)(4) and Racing, Pari-Mutuel Wagering and Breeding Law Sections 103(2) and 104(1,19), the New York State Gaming Commission hereby proposes this amendment of subdivision (b) of Section 5009.2 and subdivision (b) of Section 5010.2 of Title 9 of the Official Compilation of Codes, Rules and Regulations of the State of New York, to read as follows:

**PART 5009**

**New York's Numbers**

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**§ 5009.2. Game Description.**

New York's Numbers game shall determine winners from tickets by matching a permutation or segment of a three-digit number from 000 to and including 999, randomly drawn at a regularly scheduled daily drawing or by succeeding in a game feature as set forth in subdivisions (h) and (i) of this section. Correctly matching the three-digit number or designated permutation thereof shall entitle the ticket holder to one of those prizes as described below:

(a) New York Numbers game bets may be purchased for a minimum of 50 cents and in multiples thereof to a maximum of \$5.

(b) The following types of bets [are] may be made available for purchase:

(1) *Straight*. A three-digit number designed to match in exact order the three-digit winning number drawn for a given day.

(2) *Six-way box*. A three-digit number in which all three digits are unique (for example, "123"), designed to match in any order the three-digit winning number drawn for a given day.

(3) *Three-way box*. A three-digit number in which two of the digits are the same (for example, "122"), designed to match in any order the three-digit winning number drawn for a given day.

(4) *Front pair*. A two-digit number designed to match in exact order the first and second digits of the three-digit winning number drawn for a given day.

(5) *Back pair*. A two-digit number designed to match in exact order the second and third digits of the three-digit winning number drawn for a given day.

(6) *Straight/six-way box*. A three-digit number in which all three digits are unique (for example, “123”), that generates one straight bet and one six-way box bet. Straight/six-way box bets are limited to 50 cents for each bet type for a ticket price of \$1.

(7) *Straight/three-way box*. A three-digit number in which two of the digits are the same (for example, “122”), that generates one straight bet and one three-way box bet. Straight/three-way box bets are limited to 50 cents for each bet type for a ticket price of \$1.

(8) *Combination six-way*. A three-digit number in which all three digits are unique (for example, “123”), that generates six straight bets. The minimum cost [for which] of a combination six-way wager is \$3 (6 bets x 50 cents minimum bet).

(9) *Combination three-way*. A three-digit number in which two of the digits are the same (for example, “122”), that generates three straight bets. The minimum cost [for which] of a combination three-way wager is \$1.50 (3 bets [X] x 50 cents minimum bet).

(10) *Close Enough*. A three-digit number, of which each digit must match or be one number greater or less than the corresponding digit of the three-digit number selected in a drawing. For purposes of this wager, one number greater than nine is defined as zero and one number less than zero is defined as nine. A detailed description of the odds, prize structure, wager price, play instructions and any further information in regard to this wager shall be communicated to the public and set forth on the website for the New York Lottery in advance of offering this wager. Such detailed description shall be consistent with the game rules otherwise set forth in this Part in regard to other wagers and features of the New York’s Numbers game.

(c) Prize structure and odds for the Numbers game.

<u>Bet type</u>	<u>Odds</u>	<u>For each \$ .50 bet</u>	<u>For each \$1 bet</u>	<u>Comment</u>
Straight	1:1,000	\$250	\$500	
Box six-way	1:167	\$40	\$80	
Box three-way	1:333	\$80	\$160	
Front pair	1:100	\$25	\$50	
Back pair	1:100	\$25	\$50	
Straight/box six-way	1:167	\$290 \$440	n/a n/a	If straight hits If box only
Straight/box three-way	1:[133] 333	\$330 \$80	n/a n/a	If straight hits If box only
Combination six-way	1:167	\$250	\$500	
Combination three-way	1:333	\$250	\$500	

<u>Close Enough</u> <u>(straight match)</u>	<u>1:1,000</u>	<u>\$125</u>	<u>\$250</u>
<u>Close Enough (1</u> <u>digit, 1 off)</u>	<u>1:167</u>	<u>\$12</u>	<u>\$24</u>
<u>Close Enough (2</u> <u>digits, 1 off)</u>	<u>1:83</u>	<u>\$2</u>	<u>\$4</u>
<u>Close Enough (3</u> <u>digits, 1 off)</u>	<u>1:125</u>	<u>\$4</u>	<u>\$8</u>
<u>Close Enough</u> <u>(overall; any prize)</u>	<u>1:37</u>		

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(h) Lucky Sum. Lucky Sum is a feature of New York's Numbers game. Lucky Sum shall determine winners from bet tickets by correctly matching the sum of the player's number selection against the sum of the winning numbers drawn by the commission for that drawing.

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(2) Lucky Sum wagers shall not be placed with pairs or Close Enough wagers.

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(i) A New York's Numbers type of bet or game feature may be added at the discretion of the commission, so long as such game feature is an alternative or additional method for playing the game within the same basic game design and a detailed description of the odds, prize structure, wager price, play instructions and any further information in regard to how a player may use such feature, if offered, shall be communicated to the public and set forth on the website for the New York Lottery in advance of offering such feature.

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## **PART 5010**

### **Win-4**

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#### **§ 5010.2. Game description.**

The Win-4 game shall determine winners from tickets matching a permutation of a four-digit number from 0000 to and including 9999 randomly drawn at a regularly scheduled drawing conducted by the Lottery as described in section 5010.4 of this Part drawing or by succeeding in a game feature as set forth in subdivisions (g) and (h) of this section. Correctly matching the winning four-digit number drawn, or a designated permutation thereof shall entitle the ticket holder to one of the prizes described in subdivision (c) of this section.

(a) Win-4 bets may be purchased for a minimum of 50 cents and in multiples of 50 cents thereof to a maximum of \$5.

(b) The following types of bets [will] may be used in the determination of winners for the specified draw day indicated on the bet ticket[.]:

(1) *Straight*. A four-digit number (for example, "1234") designed to match in exact sequence the [4-digit] four-digit winning number drawn.

(2) *Twenty-four-way box*. A four-digit number in which all four digits are unique (for example, "1234") designed to match in any order the winning four-digit number drawn for a given day.

(3) *Twelve-way box*. A four-digit number in which two of the digits are the same (for example, "1233") designed to match in any order the winning four-digit number drawn for a given day.

(4) *Six-way box*. A four-digit number in which there are two pairs of identical numbers (for example, "1122") designed to match in any order the winning four-digit number drawn for a given day.

(5) *Four-way box*. A four-digit number in which three of the digits are the same (for example, "1112") designed to match in any order the winning four-digit number drawn for a given day.

(6) *Front pair*. A two-digit number chosen to match in exact order the first and second digits of the four-digit winning number selected in a drawing.

(7) *Back pair*. A two-digit number chosen to match in exact order the third and fourth digits of the four-digit winning number selected in a drawing.

[(6)] (8) *Straight/twenty-four-way box*. A four-digit number in which all four digits are unique (for example, "1234") that generates one straight bet and one box bet on a single ticket. Straight/box bets are limited to 50 cents for each bet type for a ticket price of \$1.

[(7)] (9) *Straight/twelve-way box*. A four-digit number in which two of the digits are the same (for example, "1233") that generates one straight bet and one box bet on a single ticket. Straight/box bets are limited to 50 cents for each bet type for a ticket price of \$1.

[(8)] (10) *Straight/six-way box*. A four-digit number in which there are two pairs of identical digits (for example, "1122") that generates one straight bet and one box bet on a single ticket. Straight/box bets are limited to 50 cents for each bet type for a ticket price of \$1.

[(9)] (11) *Straight/four-way box*. A four-digit number in which three of the digits are the same (for example, "1112") that generates one straight bet and one box bet on a single ticket. Straight/box bets are limited to 50 cents for each bet type for a ticket price of \$1.

[(10)] (12) *Twenty-four-way combination.* A four-digit number in which all four digits are unique (for example, “1234”) that generates 24 straight bets on a single ticket. The minimum cost [for which] of a 24-way combination wager is \$12 (24 bets x \$ .50 minimum bet).

[(11)] (13) *Twelve-way combination.* A four-digit number in which two of the digits are the same (for example, “1233”) that generates 12 straight bets on a single ticket. The minimum cost [for which] of a 12-way combination wager is \$6 (12 bets x \$ .50 minimum bet).

[(12)] (14) *Six-way combination.* A four-digit number in which there are two pairs of identical digits (for example, “1122”) that generates six straight bets on a single ticket. The minimum cost [for which] of a six-way combination wager is \$3 (6 bets x \$ .50 minimum bet).

[(13)] (15) *Four-way combination.* A four-digit number in which three of the digits are the same (for example, “1112”) that generates four straight bets on a single ticket. The minimum cost [for which] of a four-way combination wager is \$2 (4 bets x \$ .50 minimum bet).

(16) Close Enough. A four-digit number, of which each digit must match or be one number greater or less than the corresponding digit of the four-digit number selected in a drawing. For purposes of this wager, one number greater than nine is defined as zero and one number less than zero is defined as nine. A detailed description of the odds, prize structure, wager price, play instructions and any further information in regard to this wager shall be communicated to the public and set forth on the website for the New York Lottery in advance of offering this wager. Such detailed description shall be consistent with the game rules otherwise set forth in this Part in regard to other wagers and features of the Win-4 game.

(c) Prize structure and game odds for Win-4.

Bet Type and Prize Payouts Per Amount Bet

<u>Bet Type</u>	<u>50</u> <u>cents</u>	<u>\$1</u>	<u>\$2</u>	<u>\$3</u>	<u>\$4</u>	<u>\$5</u>
Straight	\$2,500	\$5,000	\$10,000	\$15,000	\$20,000	\$25,000
Box(24)	<u>\$100</u>	<u>\$200</u>	<u>\$400</u>	<u>\$600</u>	<u>\$800</u>	<u>\$1,000</u>
Box(12)	<u>\$200</u>	<u>\$400</u>	<u>\$800</u>	<u>\$1,200</u>	<u>\$1,600</u>	<u>\$2,000</u>
Box(6)	<u>\$400</u>	<u>\$800</u>	<u>\$1,600</u>	<u>\$2,400</u>	<u>\$3,200</u>	<u>\$4,000</u>
Box(4)	<u>\$600</u>	<u>\$1,200</u>	<u>\$2,400</u>	<u>\$3,600</u>	<u>\$4,800</u>	<u>\$6,000</u>
<u>Front Pair</u>	<u>\$25</u>	<u>\$50</u>				
<u>Back Pair</u>	<u>\$25</u>	<u>\$50</u>				
Straight/Box (24)	\$2,600	If Straight hits				

	\$100	If Box only				
Straight/Box (12)	\$2,700	If Straight hits				
	\$100	If Box only				
Straight/Box (6)	\$2,900	If Straight hits				
	\$400	If Box only				
Straight/Box (4)	\$3,100	If Straight hits				
	\$600	If Box only				
Combination (all types)	\$2,500	\$5,000	\$10,000	\$15,000	\$20,000	\$25,000
<u>Close Enough (straight match)</u>	<u>\$1,250</u>	<u>\$2,500</u>				
<u>Close Enough (1 digit, 1 off)</u>	<u>\$62</u>	<u>\$124</u>				
<u>Close Enough (2 digits, 1 off)</u>	<u>\$12</u>	<u>\$24</u>				
<u>Close Enough (3 digits, 1 off)</u>	<u>\$7</u>	<u>\$14</u>				
<u>Close Enough (4 digits, 1 off)</u>	<u>\$16</u>	<u>\$32</u>				

Game odds:

Bet type	Odds
Straight	1:10,000
Box(24)	1:417
Box(12)	1:833
Box(6)	1:1,667
Box(4)	1:2,500
Front Pair	1:100
Back Pair	1:100
Straight/Box (24)	1:417
Straight/Box (12)	1:833
Straight/Box (6)	1:1,667
Straight/Box (4)	1:2,500
Combination (24)	1:417
Combination (12)	1:833
Combination (6)	1:1,667
Combination (4)	1:2,500
<u>Close Enough (straight match)</u>	<u>1:10,000</u>
<u>Close Enough (1 digit, 1 off)</u>	<u>1:1,250</u>
<u>Close Enough (2 digits, 1 off)</u>	<u>1:417</u>
<u>Close Enough (3 digits, 1 off)</u>	<u>1:313</u>
<u>Close Enough (4 digits, 1 off)</u>	<u>1:625</u>
<u>Close Enough (overall; any prize)</u>	<u>1:123</u>

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(g) Lucky Sum. Lucky Sum is a feature of the Win-4 game. Lucky Sum shall determine winners from bet tickets by correctly matching the sum of the player's number selection against the sum of the winning numbers drawn by the Lottery for that drawing.

(1) Lucky Sum wagers shall not be placed with pairs or Close Enough wagers.

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(h) A Win-4 type of bet or game feature may be added at the discretion of the commission, so long as such game feature is an alternative or additional method for playing the game within the same basic game design and a detailed description of the odds, prize structure, wager price, play instructions and any further information in regard to how a player may use such feature, if offered, shall be communicated to the public and set forth on the website for the New York Lottery in advance of offering such feature.